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TO THE K. P. A.

The Programme of the Special Excursion Tended by the Town of Middleborough.

The invitation to the special excursion, etc., to be tendered the Kentucky Press Association by Middleborough have been sent out. The first page of the invitation is an invitation of the style of the Middleborough Daily News. A fac simile of the heading of this paper is used, beneath which follows: "Special excursion tendered to the Kentucky Press Association by the Middleborough Town Company, Middleborough News, American Press Association, Limited, and Commercial Club to Middleborough, Kentucky, September 11 and 12, 1890."

Special train of palace cars leaves Louisville Wednesday evening, September 11.

On the second page is:

"To the Kentucky Press Association Greeting.—Middleborough, Ky., Aug. 18, 1890: It is with great pleasure that the Middleborough Town Company, in conjunction with the Middleborough News, invites you to visit Middleborough, Ky., on Sept. 11, 1890, as a member of the Kentucky Press Association. It is of more than usual significance that the Press Association should meet within the shadow of the historic Cumberland Gap, where the battle of swords is now replaced by the peaceful wielding of the pen, and where the spirit of progress permeates the entire section, a progress that is equalled only by the advanced position of the press of the present day. This is particularly true, as the press of Kentucky is practically unacquainted with the portion of the State, toward which the attention of the world is being attracted, and concerning which they are looked to for information.

"Transportation card will be found herein, which please present on the special train leaving Louisville on the evening of September 10. The Commercial Club and American Association, Limited, join in the hearty welcome.

Yours sincerely,

"ALEX. A. ARTHUR, Pres.

"N. B.—Please notify T. H. Arnold, Chairman Committee of Arrangements, as early as possible if you will be present."

The third page gives the Programme.

Special train of palace cars leaves Louisville about 7:30 p. m., September 10, 1890. Individual notice of exact hour will be given later. Arrive in Middleborough at 7 a. m.

Thursday, September 11.

9:30 a. m.—Meeting at the Opera House. City's welcome, by Mayor John M. Brooks. Response by Urey Woodson, of the Owsboro Messenger, and President K. P. A. Welcome from Middleborough Town Company and Commercial Club, by President Alex. A. Arthur. Response by Col. E. Palk Johnson, of the Frankfort Capital.

3 p. m.—Excursion on the Bell Road.

8:30 p. m.—Press Association Banquet and Grand Ball.

Friday, September 12.

10 a. m.—Departure of special train for Cumberland Gap.

12 m.—Luncheon with Cumberland Gap Board of Trade.

1:30 p. m.—Visit to King Solomon's Cave and the "Pinnacle."

4 p. m.—Excursion train returns from Cumberland Gap.

8:30 p. m.—Special train departs for Louisville.

School Book Combina.

(Continued from page 1.)

Of course, trusts, syndicates and combinations of all descriptions are the order of the day, but few people are aware of the fact that one of the greatest combinations in this country now is the consolidation of the school book trade. The school book combine, known as the American Book Company, is doing business for the first time this season. Already it is a gigantic monopoly, and whether it will result in a benefit or a detriment to the people of the United States is yet to be determined.

Up to within the last year there were four mammoth book establishments that supplied the entire school book trade of this country, namely, D. Appleton & Co., of New York; A. S. Barnes & Co., of Chicago; and Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co., of Cincinnati. Well, Harper & Bros., of New York, did publish a few school books, but they only had the copyright on certain series, and hence did not figure very conspicuously in the general trade.

Out of these mammoth book concerns Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co., of Cincinnati, controlled by far the greatest amount of territory in the sale of their publications. Now it comes to light that these four large publishing establishments have merged into what is known as the American Book Company, having bought out Harper & Bros.' series of school publications. This gives the company complete control of the school book trade. It has one house in New York, one in Cincinnati, and the other in Chicago, and these will be the distributing points of the great concern. It was quite a surprise to some of the minor wholesale dealers and the various retail merchants when they went to lay in a full supply of school books that they could not buy from the different named firms, but could only deal with the American Book Company.

Prices at present are 3 per cent. lower than usual, but they are pretty apt to advance, as that is the history of all trusts.

Wanted.

We want an A. No. 1 Agent in this county at once, to take charge of our business, and conduct the sale of our various books. If you are a man of energy, and have a good knowledge of the county, we will pay a liberal salary or allow a large commission. For full particulars address

VOLTAIC BELT CO.,
No. 218 Marshall, Mich.

Who, Wouldn't?

"Birdie kissed me last evening."

"Did you kiss her back?"

"Of course not."

"You foolish boy! Why didn't you?"

"I preferred to kiss her lips." Epithet.

Neglecting a child troubled with worms may cause it to have epileptic fits. Horrible! Give it Dr. Bull's Worm Destroyer at once and save the child.

THE FIRST SYMPTOMS OF DEATH.

Tired feeling, dull headache, pains in various parts of the body, sinking at the pit of the stomach, loss of appetite, feverishness, pimples or sores, are all positive evidence of poisoned blood. No matter how it became poisoned it must be purified to avoid death. Dr. Acker's English Blood Elixir has never failed to remove scrofulous or syphilitic poisons. Sold under a positive guarantee.

H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

FACTS ABOUT HAIL-STONES.

It Takes But Ten Minutes to Form the Largest One Ever Known.

Meteorologists are not a little interested in the manner of formation of hail-stones. The theory of their growth has been given most credence. It is believed that the hail-stone passed rapidly from the cold air to the warm, moist air, and again from the warm air into the colder, thus alternately taking on a jacket of moisture and freezing it around the nucleus or heart. The formation of the nucleus itself, it is considered, is from the snow-flakes in the cold cloud, which are whirled about by a small ball, about which subsequent layers of ice are built. The hail is then shot into the atmosphere of different temperatures.

The hail-stone, from its varying shapes and angularities, shows that it has had a circuitous and irregular career. It is sometimes whirled into crooked shapes, then being tossed upward and condensed rapidly. It takes but ten minutes, so the meteorologists say, to form the largest hail-stones known. While many of these that fell Sunday were nearly spherical, more of them were round and jagged, and some had a flat face on one side and were covered with notches on the other.

The most remarkable hail-storm on record was that of July 18, 1783, which passed from Touraine, France, to Belgium. It traveled in bands or separate belts. While the western band had a width of ten miles and a length of 400 miles, the eastern band had a width of five miles and a length of 100 miles. A band of rain twelve miles wide was between them. Over 1,000,000,000,000,000 of these hail-stones were estimated to have fallen, and the total value of the damage was \$5,000,000,000,000,000.

The most fatal storm of the kind was that of April 30, 1888, at Moradabad, India. In which over 200,000 people were killed. The hail-stones were of such size that they were like cannon balls. The hail-stones were of such size that they were like cannon balls.

Probably the worst hail-storm that ever occurred in this country was that of June 16, 1882, at Dubuque, Iowa. For thirteen minutes, beginning at 2:25 p. m., hail-stones fell, some of which were seven-eighths of an inch in diameter. The largest weighed 1 1/2 pounds. They exhibited diverse formations, some of them having knobs and knobs half an inch in length. Others were surrounded by rings of different-colored ice, with gravel and blades of grass imbedded within. The foreman of the Novelty Iron Works stated that he melted two which had lying frozen within them. This report comes from the Monthly Weather Review, issued by the Government.

A Dubuque newspaper report accompanying the picture states that hail-stones of large size were seen to fall down, and some ladies called a pitcher of lemonade with them, and wrote to Eastern friends that they had made the drink palatable with ice frozen to that city on June 16. In falling the stones went through the roofs of street cars.—Baltimore Sun.

THE SUN'S HEAT.

Is the Great Orb Showing any Visible Signs of Heat?

We want to know whether the sun is showing any symptoms of decay. Are the days as warm and bright as they were ten years ago, one hundred years ago? We can find no evidence of any change since the beginning of authentic record. If the sun's heat had perceptibly changed within the last two thousand years we should expect to find corresponding changes in the distribution of plants and animals, but no such changes have been detected.

There is no reason to think that the climate of ancient Greece or of ancient Rome was appreciably different from the climate of the present day. The vine and olive grow now where they grew two thousand years ago. We must not, however, lay too much stress on this argument for the effects of slight changes in the sun's heat may have been neutralized by corresponding adaptations in the plant and animal kingdoms.

All we can certainly conclude is that no marked change has taken place in the heat of the sun during historical time. But when we come to look back

ANGEL OR DEMON?

Contrasting Opinions of Women by Men of All Ages.

Helix: "Every man who marries is like the dog who weds the Adonis; he knows not what he may find therein—treasures, pearls, monsters, unknown storms."

Helix: "Woman is a most charming creature, who changes her heart as easily as she does her gloves."

Victor Hugo: "Women defeat the serpent through a professional jealousy."

Thackeray: "A good woman is the loveliest flower that blooms under heaven."

Shakespeare: "The proper study of mankind is woman."

Socrates: "Trust not a woman when she weeps for it is her nature to weep when she wants her will."

Thackeray: "A woman's heart is just like a lightning-bolt; it strikes and is gone."

Plautus: "He who trusts women draws water with pitchers full of holes."

Shakespeare: "She is mine own. And I am rich to have such a jewel. As twenty times all their wealth were piled, The water never and the rock were paid."

Franklin: "He that takes a wife takes Care."

Goethe: "Who marries once may be Perished his infancy."

Shakespeare: "Woman is the devil's whore."

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REMARKABLE RESCUE.

Mrs. Michael Curran, of Plainfield, N. J., makes the statement that she caught a child, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of the Great Discovery at H. B. Garner's Pharmacy, large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

Happy Hostlers.

Wm. Timmons, postmaster at Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for I had had feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same place, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle at H. B. Garner's City Pharmacy."

Jack—Don't you get tired standing up behind a counter all day?

Merchant—No; I don't get tired standing up behind a counter. But some of those people on the other side of the counter that stand me up make me tired.—Plunder.

ANCIENT ALMANACS.

A New England Woman Finds Some That Contain Curious Things.

Spring cleaning generally brings to light a lot of forgotten things, and this time a woman in Wingham Center found some old almanacs, one of them 130 years old, printed at Boston twenty-three years before the present Old

CASKY, KY.

Casky, Ky., Sept. 1.—Miss Minnie Brough of Hopkinsville, is visiting Miss Mary Henry.

Miss Edna Whitaker is home from an extended trip through the southern states.

James A. Radford and wife are in Louisville en route to their home in Memphis.

Edgewood Academy opened Monday last with twenty-three pupils in attendance.

Prof. Woolsey from Trenton has charge of Green Hill Academy this year with forty-five pupils.

Miss Fannie Garnett, of Pembroke, is being entertained by Misses Garnett, at "The Grove" this week.

Mrs. Metcalfe, with Misses Willis and Anderson, who have been visiting Mr. J. C. Willis' family, left for St. Louis Thursday.

Col. Will Kendall and wife of Waco, Texas are visiting the family of Rev. John G. Kendall, this week.

Tom W. Garnett, left home for Georgetown Saturday. He will enter the University there.

The Baptists held their circle meeting here Saturday and Sunday. There was a large attendance and the occasion a very pleasant one.

Assistant Engineer Stoner of Evansville, was here last Thursday making a plan of the lots for Section House.

Miss Josephine Jenkins, of Waco, Texas, is being entertained by Mrs. J. G. Kendall at "The Parsonage" this week.

Mrs. J. H. Kelly and Miss Orna Kelly, of Galveston, Texas, who have been visiting Mrs. Orna Kelly here, are spending the week with the family of Dr. Jno. A. Gunn in Hopkinsville.

SALTIER.

Let the patient afflicted therewith lay on the contrary side, drop three drops of rose juice into the ear on that side the tooth aches, let it remain an hour or two, and it will remove the pain.—Boston Globe.

Codfish follow the line of an iceberg down until they reach the water, and then place affords them an excellent feeding ground.

THAT TERRIBLE COUGH.

In the morning, hurried or difficult breathing, raising phlegm, tightness in the chest, quickened pulse, chilliness in the evening or sweats at night, all or any of these things are the first signs of consumption. Dr. Acker's English Cough Remedy will cure these fearful symptoms, and is sold under positive guarantee by H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

Mr. Trouble—Well, I've got to get a new suit of clothes.

Mrs. T.—You never hear of me wearing my clothes out.

Mr. T.—Well, you'd better stay in the house, then.—Plunder.

OUR VERY BEST PEOPLE.

Confirm our statement when we say that Dr. Acker's English Remedy is in every way superior to any and all other preparations for the Throat and Lungs. In Whooping Cough and Croup it is a magic and relieves at once. We offer you a sample bottle free. Remember, this Remedy is sold on a positive guarantee.

H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

Little Willie—mamma, does the stu go to bed at night?

Mother—I've a couple that don't.—Plunder.

Ned—Did you notice any change in the weather down here?

Snart—Not a cent.

DO NOT SUFFER ANY LONGER.

Knowing that a cough can be checked in a day, and the first stages of consumption broken in a week, we hereby guarantee Dr. Acker's English Cough Remedy, and will refund the money to all who buy, take it as per directions, and do not find our statement correct.

H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

A WHITE BLUEBIRD.

Its Song and Habits Were Identical with Those of the Same Species.

Among the bluebirds that returned to this locality, Elmhurst, Ill., in the spring of the year 1888, was a curiosity. It was an albino, a milk-white specimen, and from the distance at which it allowed itself to be approached, not a feather of a darker shade could be seen. Paradoxical as it may seem, it was a white bluebird, and yet it was not a bluebird, because it was a white bird. Its song and habits were identical with those of the same species. On three different occasions we were within a few yards of it, but were unable to determine its sex, or whether it paired with any other bird of its kind during the breeding season. It was often seen during the months of October and November in its favorite haunts nearly every week, and sometimes every day, but nearly always in company with bluebirds. It seemed camouflaged of the sunny slopes and deep, cool, wooded ravines along the bluffs of the Mississippi river at that point. Late in the fall, when the frosty nights preluded the summer end, it would sit atop its favorite trees, dozing to and out of the yellow sunshine with its feathered friends that were getting together to seek winter quarters, and we wished it a safe and speedy journey to its balmy Southern home, little expecting to ever see it again. But it returned the following spring, spent the second summer with us and reappeared until December, when with others of its kind it was evidently preparing for its annual migration to warmer climes. We trust it has not fallen by the gun of the pot-hunter or the taxidermist, and we often ask ourselves: "Will it come again?"—Forest and Stream.

A Good Start.

Merrill—How is the new university of your city coming on?

Woolley—Oh, splendidly. The baseball and foot-ball grounds are laid out, the bath house built, and we've secured seven athletic instructors. We're going to hire a fire to cook Latin and history and all that, and I expect we'll open with a large class next fall.—West Shore.

Scotchmen harpooning in London.

are now entertained with a number of real northern harpies, played in a photograph and sent to London by express.

The Use of Quinine.

There is no questioning the fact that quinine is a valuable medicine as a tonic, anti-periodic and anti-pyretic, and that its discovery has greatly helped the cause of medicine. Still in a majority of cases its use is not altogether satisfactory as it frequently deranges the system, producing headache, dizzy feelings, convulsions and sometimes even paralysis. It was the endeavor of the eminent Dr. John Bull of Louisville, Ky., to invent a substitute for quinine, something that would have all the good qualities of quinine, and yet be entirely free from its evil tendencies. How admirably he succeeded is evidenced by the estimation in which his remedy Smith's Tonic Syrup is held by the people; where it is best known everybody uses it in place of quinine and it never fails to give the very best of satisfaction. In cases of child and fever it is absolutely a safe and certain cure.

Then—I'd like to spend some of the bills I've got.

Jack—Why don't you?

Ben—Well, you see, these bills I owe.—Plunder.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

R. A. West is in Nashville this week. Miss Bernice Jones, of Cadiz, is visiting Mrs. Tom Jones.

Mr. J. T. Evans, of Trenton, spent yesterday in the city.

Miss Fannie Frankel has returned from a visit to Clarksville.

Harry Ware, of Clarksville, spent Wednesday afternoon in the city.

Miss Buckner Lander has returned from a visit to friends near Howell.

Joe Moseley left this week to attend Bethel College at Russellville.

Mrs. J. M. Hall, of Auburn, is visiting the family of Dr. T. W. Blakey.

Miss Edna McCamy, has returned from a short visit to friends in Elkton.

Miss Mary McPherson has returned from a three weeks' visit in Virginia.

Tom Tandy has secured a position with the Metcalf iron works of this city.

Miss Mollie Martin has returned from a three weeks' visit to friends in Virginia.

Mrs. L. E. McCrae has returned from a short visit to friends in West Virginia.

Mr. A. A. Metz left for Indianapolis today. He will visit Chicago before his return.

Miss Mattie Thompson has gone to Newstead and will teach school at Mr. A. H. Wallace's.

Miss May Stuart, of Fairview, is visiting the family of Mr. J. C. Young, on West Seventh street.

Miss Tillie Harris returned to her home in Louisville Tuesday, after a brief visit to Miss Sallie Blythe.

Mr. A. A. Bales, representing the Cabinet Paper Company of Chicago, was in the city the first part of the week.

Mrs. M. Frankel and daughter, Miss Sallie, have returned from a visit to the family of Mr. Chas. Slaughter, at Rochester, Ky.

Misses Ruth Cooper and Belle McKenzie, of Le Roy, Ill., are in the city on a visit to Mrs. A. C. Biddle, Miss Cassper's sister.

Mr. Whitson Hall, of Auburn, returned home Tuesday, after a pleasant visit to the family of his relative, Dr. T. W. Blakey.

Mrs. J. H. Anderson has returned from the Old Point excursion and Cincinnati, accompanied by Mrs. Bumpus, who will visit her.

Hon. W. T. Ellis was in the city Wednesday for a short while. He will return in about ten days and make one or more speeches in the county.

Miss Nannie Caldwell, of Danville, who has been the guest of Mrs. Kurtz for the past week, left this morning for a visit to "Hopkinsville"—Russellville Herald.

Mr. E. B. Bassett, of Bassett & Co., left Wednesday for Louisville for goods for the fall trade. When he returns look for something lively in the dry goods line.

Jan. Victory is now representing H. C. Armstrong, wholesale grocer, of Louisville, having secured the franchise formerly held by Mr. A. W. Richardson. Mr. Richardson will remain with the house as general manager. John's many friends will be glad to learn of his success in securing such a responsible as well as lucrative position. He will visit this city weekly.

Enlisted to the Best.

All are entitled to the best that their money will buy, so every family should have at once a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleanse the system when constipated or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

CITY COURT NEWS.

Jan. Kelly, drunk, fined \$7, sent to work house.

Jim Glass, col. drunk and disorderly, fined \$7.50, sent to work house.

Max Meyers, using insulting language to Mrs. Henry Drexler, fined \$20 and costs.

Mrs. Henry Drexler, using abusive language to Mrs. Max Meyers, fined \$20 and costs. The Meyers and Drexler cases were tried by a jury.

Charles Myers, shooting with intent to kill. Grand Jury will investigate.

Jan. Green, col., breach of peace, sent to work house for five days.

Lettie Griffith, col., detaining goods belonging to another, fined \$4.

Sallie Moody, breach of peace, fined \$5 and costs.

Jan. Hunt, drunk, fined \$5.

Charles Osmun, drunk, disorderly, and using obscene language, fined \$50 and costs.

Lula Thompson disorderly, fined \$2.50 and costs.

Josie Thompson same, same.

Tom Harris, breach of peace, trial set for to-morrow.

For Civil Business.

I will hold court at City Court room on the first Tuesday in each month for civil business, at which times litigants can have the benefit of trials on any amount to \$200. Officers and attorneys will take notice of this. The first term will be held on the first Tuesday in October and Court will be held on the first Tuesday in each succeeding month.

M. D. Brown, Judge.

HERE AND THERE.

Vitalia Liver Pills are unexcelled. Mike's celebrated Italian band is in the city.

R. M. Woodbridge, livery, feed & sale stable, Fritz' stand. Telephone 144.

Mr. Rufus Stewart is quite sick with fever at his home near Gracey.

Hoover Fertilizer Wheat Drill for sale. Apply to W. J. Withers & Son.

Edward Eades and Leola Cotton were granted a license to wed Tuesday.

Born to the wife of Dr. J. L. Dulin, a ten pound boy, Wednesday morning last.

Quite a number of Hopkinsville people are attending the Bowling Green fair this week.

An ineffectual attempt was made one night this week to burglarize the house of Mr. E. H. Sibley, on the Canton pike.

The Hopkinsville Public Schools opened the eleventh annual session Monday with 477 pupils—207 boys and 270 girls.

Hettie Bernard Chase appeared at the Opera House Wednesday evening in "Cyril's Darling," and played to a very light house.

The rumor that one of the Latham cottages is to be occupied by a bridal couple is a settled fact. The furniture has been purchased and the date is not far off.

Don't fail to visit at once Rogers & Elgin's store and see the finest line of Perfumes, Toilet Goods, Stationery, Pictures, School Supplies, etc., ever shown in Hopkinsville.

The Leaf-Chronicle says Mr. W. F. Buckner has received the full insurance on his horses and stable recently burned—\$5,800. He will re-invest in another lot of fine trotters at once.

Julius Long filed his new bond Monday and it is the longest paper of the kind ever produced in the county. It contained the names of Geo. W. Long, Wm. R. Long, Wm. A. Long, Wm. Long and A. B. Long.

Albert and Herbert Cox, brothers, of Bellevue, carried off the two gold medals shot for at the Driving Park by the Hopkinsville and Gracey gun clubs last week, mention of which was overlooked in our last issue.

The Courier-Journal of Monday contained a synopsis of the farewell sermon of Rev. John O. Rust, pastor of the McFerran Memorial church, Louisville. Mr. Rust goes to Bardonia to take the pastorate of the Baptist church there.

Dr. A. L. Butt has opened an office in this city, and will give exclusive attention to the treatment of the disorders of the Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose, and the fitting of glasses. Office with Dr. Blakey, where he may be found on Fridays and Saturdays, 9-12 m.

Democratic mass conventions have been called to meet in every voting precinct in the State to-morrow at 2 p. m. to choose county committeemen, one from each precinct. Let Christian county Democrats see that good and true men are elected in every district.

The Princeton postoffice was entered by professional burglars one night this week and about \$600 in stamps and \$100 in money was taken. The safe was drilled into and the combination lock destroyed. Mr. Mitchell is the postmaster upon whom the loss will fall.

Dr. H. E. Medley and S. C. Mercer, Jr., have exceeded all former scores in dove shooting, having bagged 333 in three afternoons of last week, spending only one hour each afternoon in the field. Mr. Mercer's numbers were 39, 39 and 45. Dr. Medley's were 34, 36 and 38. This is fine shooting if we are judges of the sport.

"Uncle" Joe Hight, of Stuart's district, who has one of the largest families in the county, was in the city Monday and took out a renewal of his news policy with the KENTUCKIAN. He is the father of eleven children and his immediate descendants number eighty grand-children and seventeen great-grand-children. He is hale and hearty and looks many years younger than he really is.

Geo. Wilson's Minstrels filled the Opera House last night and gave a performance that pleased all admirers of negro minstrelsy. Geo. Wilson, Low Benedict and others in the troupe are old favorites here and they drew like a porous plaster. The company has just started out and all of the costumes are bright and new, and the performance throughout is meritorious and entertaining.

Judge J. E. Kelly has appointed Mr. H. B. Wilkinson to succeed the late Mr. G. J. Shoemaker as jailor. There is some question whether the present County Judge has authority to appoint a successor for a longer time than the unexpired term of Mr. Shoemaker, which would have expired Sept. 1, 1900. It is a question upon which we learn our attorneys are divided. There may be a contest should Judge Bingham make an appointment when he qualifies—Cadiz Telephone.

The peculiar curvating effect of summer weather is driven off by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which "makes the weak strong."

Nora G. a Winner.

Dr. B. S. Wood's swift little trotter, Nora G., won first money in the 2:30 trot at Bowling Green Wednesday, lowering her record to 2:28. She won in straight heats in a full field. Nora G. is also entered in the free for all trot, which will be the event of the fair.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Criminal Cases—Petit Juries For First Two Weeks, Etc.

The September term of Circuit Court convened Monday. The docket is a pretty full one. The following cases were disposed of during the first three days:

Zach Stegar, Henry Worsham and Jno. Cowan, gaming, dismissed.

Ed Tucker, retailing, dismissed.

Eleven cases were filed away with leave to re-instate.

Thirty-nine cases continued and bench warrants issued.

Walter Whitlock, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, submitted his case to the court and was fined \$25 and costs and given ten days in jail.

W. A. M. Brower, retailing, fined \$20 and costs.

William Brandon, hog stealing, dismissed.

Chas. Driver and Mack Perkins, selling liquor to minor, fined \$50 and costs, each, in two cases. Reasons for new trial filed.

Ira Hill and Willis Wood, gaming, former fined \$10 and costs, case of latter continued.

Henry Kraver and Leo Harris, giving liquor to minor, submitted to the court and fine of \$50 and costs assessed against each.

Same, selling liquor to minor, trial by jury and verdict of guilty rendered, each party fined \$30 and costs.

C. R. Clark, selling liquor to minor, two old cases, acquitted as to first case and fined \$50 and costs in second. Reasons for new trial filed.

Geo. Diaguid, gaming, continued.

Jim Hardy and Green Chestman, gaming, failed to answer, fine of \$10 and costs, each, assessed.

Jno. Radford, Jno. Black and Jno. Cheney, same, same.

Nolan & Pool, selling liquor to minor, fined \$50 and costs, each.

Henry Linder, injuring stock, plea of guilty entered and on submission of case to the court, he was fined \$20 and costs.

Mount Henderson, gaming, fined \$10 and costs.

Warner Glass, suffering gaming, fined \$200. Failing to satisfy the claim he was sent to the work house.

The most important case disposed of was that of Walker Mason, charged with grand larceny. He was given one year in the penitentiary. About six years ago Mason, when only 12 years of age, took a line shot gun from Mr. A. J. Burchett, who lives a few miles east of the city, and wandering off to the Church Hill neighborhood, sold the gun to Mr. George Harrison for \$15. Mr. Burchett some months later recovered his gun, and about one year ago had Mason arrested and placed under bond for his appearance. Mason claims that he was drunk when he took the gun, having drunk during the day three gallons of hard cider, and does not remember anything that happened for several days after the theft was committed. The jury failed to understand the case that way and convicted him, however.

Larkin T. Brasher, having resigned as Examiner for the County, Mr. John C. Brasher was appointed in his stead. Hugh McKee was also appointed Examiner.

Judge Winfree filed his report of fines collected since last report, amounting to \$133.10.

Mrs. J. W. Brentfield also filed his report of taxes on deeds, seals, etc., amounting to \$1,000.35, which was ordered paid to the State Auditor, after a sufficiency for jury fund had been deducted.

The following is a list of the petit juries for the first two weeks of Court:

Jno. W. Tucker, W. T. Hopper, D. C. Ralston, W. J. Fowler, Alex. Fritz, W. F. Pyle, W. L. Seales, W. L. Gibson, T. B. Chandler, A. H. Wallace, T. G. Hanbury, J. N. Cox, William Johnson, B. R. Yancey, F. R. Dyer, J. H. Bishop, T. J. Haddock, H. E. King, Jas. Allensworth, col., T. L. Long, W. T. Davis, and J. W. Davison.

DEATHS.

An aged African patient died Tuesday.

Mrs. W. G. Good died at her home on North Main Tuesday night, of congestion of the brain. Deceased was formerly Miss Julia McGlynn, of McEwen Station, Tenn., and had only been married about a year. She leaves an infant daughter. The remains were taken back to the home of her parents where they were interred yesterday. Mr. Good has the sympathies of the community in his affliction.

Infant of Luther Dandridge, in the city Tuesday.

An 18-months-old child died on the premises of Mr. Pat. Major, near Beverly, Tuesday, of brain fever.

Electing Committeemen.

Each voting precinct in the county will elect a Democratic Committeeman to-morrow at 2 p. m. For this purpose mass meetings will be held at the respective voting places. There are 27 precincts in Christian county and 27 good and true Democrats who have the good of the party at heart should be chosen to compose the County Committee. The party organization should be stronger and better than ever and in no sense relaxed because the local campaign has closed for 1890. There were weak places in the ranks this year and but for this fact the late victory would have been complete and even more overwhelming. Let us, Democrats, see that no such mistake occur in the future.

Why It is Popular.

Because it has proven its absolute merit over and over again, because it has an unequalled record of cures, because its business is conducted in a thoroughly honest manner, and because it combines economy and strength, being the only medicine of which "100 Does One Dollar" is true—these strong points have made Hood's Sarsaparilla the most successful medicine of the day.

THE H. & C. ROAD.

Its Proposition Anxiously and Impatiently Awaited.

The suggestions of the KENTUCKIAN Tuesday in regard to the H. & C. Railroad are meeting with much favor and if the company will only prepare and submit a reasonable proposition the people will be found ready to help the enterprise. Judge Landis is President of the new company and being also attorney for the O. V., he is not in a position to push the new and better proposition as long as there is any hope for the O. V. This road now promises to do something within a week or two, but the chances are that it is the same old promise that is being made to do duty for the hundredth time. The KENTUCKIAN will not put much faith in the ability or inclination of the O. V. to come to Hopkinsville until it makes a move that looks more like business than anything we have yet seen. The better plan is to go ahead and build our own road and not wait upon the slow and uncertain movements of a paper road. We were told that if the O. V. lost the Christian county bond case in the Court of Appeals another proposition would be submitted at once, but after eight months' delay we are still put off with promises and the proposition is still withheld. Is it any wonder that the people are getting tired fooling with the O. V.? Let us have the H. & C. proposition and let it quick.

The Contest Monday.

The Cowan-Provost contest will be called next Monday, but nothing further than to organize the Board can be done. The work of taking depositions is far from complete and there is probably another month's work in this direction. Mr. Cowan has his case well in hand and his prospects for ultimate success are very flattering. On the other hand few of the votes challenged by his adversary can be thrown out, unless the permit voters are thrown out, in which event fully as many Provost votes would be lost. The "unregistered" list in Provost's answer numbered 61 names, and very nearly all of these have been found registered and legal voters. Errors in spelling and in initials were the pretexts upon which most of them were challenged. Other classes of Cowan's challenged votes also show up clear and legal without the loss of a vote. It is becoming more evident as the contest progresses that Cowan received a good majority of the legal votes.

LONGVIEW.

LONGVIEW, Ky., Sept. 1.—Mrs. Holis, of Pembroke returned home today after a short visit to her sister, Mrs. A. L. Carter. She was accompanied by Miss Annie Carter.

Mrs. J. Huggins' mother, Mrs. Ferguson, is spending the summer with her family.

Miss Price Garrett, from Cusky, is the guest of Misses Pattie and Lucy Garrett. Miss Fairman Shanklin spent Saturday and Sunday with them.

Miss Higgins, of New Providence, Tenn., is visiting friends and relatives in this neighborhood.

Miss Mary Radford, an attractive young lady from Owensboro, is visiting Miss Edna O'Neal.

Miss Minnie Mason visited Miss Lulu Carter last week.

Tom Adams has rented the "Johnson" place for the coming year and is now making preparations for a large wheat crop.

Miss Laura Haney is recovering from a severe attack of fever.

Mr. W. B. Mason is sojourning at Dawson.

A large crowd attended the "moonlight" Friday evening at Mr. Huggins' given to Misses Fannie and Lulu Carter. The yard was beautifully illuminated and the fair hostesses did all that could be done to make the evening pleasant and enjoyable. Gentlemen's sashes were in vogue, especially red velvet ones.

Among those present were: Misses Ella Higgins, Susie Haney, Otis Wood, Pearl Cayne, Emma and Ora Gregory, Mattie and Binnie Compton, Edna and Kate Cherry, Mary Blaine, Minnie Stegar, Mary and Bessie Carter, Marie Clardy, Edna Radford, Minnie Mason, Annie Carter, Mary Radford, Pattie, Lucy and Price Garrett, Minnie Broadnugh, Lou Boyd, Fannie Leavell, Buckner Lander, Miss Nuckles, Mary Henry, Florence Rives, Miss Corbin, Fannie and Lulu Carter.

The gentlemen were Messrs. H. McGee, C. and J. Settle, Wm. Brannagh, H. Bolinger, C. Garrett, W. L. and F. F. Clardy, E. Radford, L. and H. Thomas, Jim Gary, H. Shanklin, C. Johnston, L. Brannagh, J. Strobo, Geo. Mills, I. and C. Blaine, Preston Thomas, Jamie Garrett, C. Cayne, Bob and Jim Shelton, D. and L. Nelson, Roy Kennor, R. Major, N. West, E. Stegar, Mac Radford, J. Warfield, Frank and Geo. Ilves, J. Garnett, Nuckles, C. Taylor, Will Perry, Ed Murphy, R. and L. Leavell, C. Jenkins, Will White, Stephenson, Sam and Byrd Carter and George Stegar.

DOMIN.

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REMNANTS!

I have placed on center tables a large lot of Remnants in Dress Goods, White Goods, Flannels, Domestics and Calicoes. These will all be

SOLD AT HALF PRICE.

White Goods, worth 10 and 15c.	French Sattine that sold at 35 and 40c.
Go at 6c	Go at the low price of 17c
A nice lot of White Goods worth 25c.	American Sattine that sold at 20c.
Go at 12c	Go at 11c
Another, still finer, worth 35c.	A large line of Challies left worth 8c.
Go at 18c	and 10c, go at 5c
French Batiste, that sold at 20c.	Big drives in Table Linen and Napkins.
Go at 11c	
Wool-finish Challies worth 15 to 20c.	
Out they go at 7c	

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